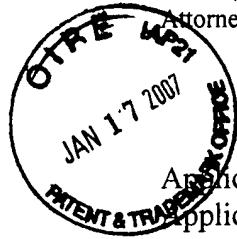


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Sir:

This document is filed in response to the January 08, 2007 Office Action. Applicants' response and is described in more detail herein. In addition, substitute drawings 2A, 2B, and 2C are enclosed herewith.

It is believed that no fee is due because this response is filed within the three-month shortened period set by the Examiner. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-2980 maintained by the SUN Law Office PLLC.

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